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17 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
18 **WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON**

19 STATE OF WASHINGTON, *et al.*,

20 No. 2:25-cv-00848-TL

21 v.
22 Plaintiffs,

23 DEFENDANTS' UNOPPOSED
24 MOTION TO EXTEND ANSWER
25 DEADLINE

26 U.S. DEPARTMENT OF
TRANSPORTATION, *et al.*,

Defendants.

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18 Defendants respectfully move for an extension of the deadline to respond to
19 Plaintiffs' Complaint until after a ruling on summary judgment, to the extent an answer is
20 necessary. Currently, the answer and administrative record are due on July 7, 2025. The
21 parties have conferred and agree that Defendants will produce the administrative record, as
22 scheduled, on July 7, 2025. The parties are prepared to proceed to dispositive motions, and
23 will work to negotiate a schedule that completes the briefing by August 28, 2025.

24 Given the current procedural posture of this case and the parties' willingness to
25 proceed to dispositive motions, good cause exists to defer the answer deadline. Plaintiffs will

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2 not be prejudiced by this extension because Defendants do not seek to alter the administrative
3 record production deadline.

4 Accordingly, Defendants respectfully request an extension of the answer deadline
5 until after a ruling on summary judgment. Counsel for Defendants contacted counsel for
6 Plaintiffs regarding this motion, and Plaintiffs do not oppose the requested relief.

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